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RIGID LAW A DETRIMENT TO CRIME.

The following from the Churchill Standard will give food for thought. Read it; then think about it:

Though guilty of a crime a person need not go to jail in Nevada. He "appeals," puts up a bond and goes through the highways and byways as freely as persons not charged with wrong doing. The culprits' freedom may last for months or even years, or they may die natural deaths with indictments hanging over their heads. We have shining examples of this condition as a result of the numerous bank failures, all rotten, and those responsible for the wrecks move about as serenely as if nothing had happened.

The Rieky affair, the Frank Golden affair, and last, the Oscar J. Smith affair, all tend to make people have little respect for the laws that allow these offenders against society to continue to enjoy liberty, where they should have been punished long ago.

There are too many evasions and hair splitting that have impeded and all but wrecked the march of justice in Nevada. Sure and swift punishment is surely a detriment of crime and a protection to society.

It is humiliating to note such instances as the ones cited in this article, for they certainly tend to aggravate a condition that is coming to be worse and worse as time goes along.

There is a very definite and obvious relation between indulgence of law breakers and the frequency of law breaking. The certainty of retribution—the regular and inexorable administration of justice—the automatic punishment of crime—these are the things that prevent crime. The criminal ought to know that there must be a due reckoning with the law. When he knows in advance that through the arts of hired lawyers, the complaisance of the courts, or the leniency of a pardoning board, he will expect to escape, what happens? No one can fail to know. A premium is placed on lawbreaking and society is demoralizing. If there is any facts needed to bolster up this line of reasoning they are easily furnished by the court records of Nevada.

The above is gospel truth, but truth has no weight in law these days. A set of lawyers can job a man and with a dishonest judge send him to the eternal bow-wows. Or a set of lawyers can pick flaws and find technicalities in most any of our laws in the Nevada statutes.

Only a few days ago one Pistinat, of Rhyolite, was made the catpaw of a gambling-holdup case, tried and found guilty and sentenced to one year in the state's prison, and the guilty parties were the witnesses that convicted him. This is our boasted justice. Bah!

While on the other hand, one "Pop" Allen was caught with the goods on him, slaughtering other people's cattle and selling them, was arrested, bound over to the grand jury, released on some writ, with a Latin name, by Judge Averill, on the grounds that his court did not have jurisdiction. Allen was re-arrested and had a hearing before Justice of the Peace Heywood at Manhattan and turned Scott free. This is some more of your boasted Nevada justice.

The Fallon Standard speaks the truth, but what's the use? With dishonest judges and district attorneys crime is laughed at in this glorious state of ours. The stealing of millions is condoned and applauded, but some poor unfortunate man like Gus Pistinat, a good citizen who never stole a dollar in his life; has always been square with his fellowman, is, by negarious tactics, sent to a felon's cell, while Rieky, Golden and Smith, foul bank wreckers, are enjoying life and living on the luxuries of the land.

Again, Nevada justice, Bah!

THE TWIN APOSTLES OF MISCHIEF.

Two of the most potent arguments—if they can be called arguments—against reciprocity in the Canadian election just held were supplied by Champ Clark, the democratic speaker of the house of representatives, and R. M. La Follette, leader of the insurgents in the senate.

When the reciprocity agreement came to the house from the president, Speaker Champ Clark said he would favor it because it was a step toward the annexation of Canada to the United States. The remark was jocular, of course, but it was foolish and mischievous because it was calculated to provoke the opposition of ignorant and prejudiced voters in Canada. It was employed with powerful effect by the conservative press and speakers and no doubt contributed to the

defeat of Wilfred Laurier and reciprocity in the election. Speaker Clark therefore did great harm to a project of international importance by making a silly joke in speaking of a grave question. Mr. La Follette made a speech in the senate against reciprocity in which he stated he opposed the measure because it would benefit neither the producers of Canada nor the consumers of the United States, but would simply aid in subjecting the people of both countries to the exactions of the American trusts. Speaker Clark did harm by talking idly through his hat, but Senator La Follette stabbed deliberately, well knowing that his statement would furnish campaign material for the Canadian opponents of reciprocity.

Every conservative journal in the Dominion quoted Senator Clark to prove that annexation was the ulterior object of reciprocity. Senator La Follette was quoted to prove that the reciprocal scheme was devised to put the people of Canada under the thumb of plundering combinations of capital. Thus reciprocity was struck a deadly blow by both its friends and enemies in the United States. The conservatives in Canada were supplied with their best material for exciting prejudice and opposition by American politicians opposed to President Taft.

Both Champ Clark and Robert M. La Follette profess to be enemies of the trusts, but both assisted the trusts to gain a victory over the masses in the Dominion of Canada and in the United States. Champ Clark let his mouth run away with him, but "Bob" La Follette delivered his blow with a studied purpose.

He has earned the gratitude of the woodpulp and paper trusts, and will doubtless receive their support in his presidential aspirations. Champ Clark simply showed how much harm a fool friend can do.—Oakland Tribune.

FICKLENESS OF PUBLIC SENTIMENT.

Sir Wilfred Laurier and Uncle Joe Cannon can now console together. Both are grand old men, defeated but not dismayed. Both have passed the scriptural period of life, and both went down to defeat when at their political zenith. Veterans in the public service, able and resourceful parliamentary leaders, they have been repudiated by sudden and emotional changes in popular sentiment common to all democracies. The frequent repudiation of such men gave rise to the saying that republics are ungrateful. It is not a true saying in the broad sense, but it has a germ of truth in it that is sometimes discouraging and disquieting. Public sentiment is a queer thing. Its moods and caprices often baffle the most acute observers. One of its weaknesses is proneness to tire of old favorites and take up with new. It pendulates between extremes, and finds ebullient exhilaration in breaking and trampling under foot the idols that it bowed in adoration to but a day before. Long continued dominance by one mind excites jealousies and resentments which swell with time and finally pool their issues to overthrow the leader who provokes them and holds the center of the stage to the exclusion of other ambitious spirits. Then discontent ferments and seeks a victim. The highest-placed and most conspicuous is usually selected. All great statesmen and ministers have suffered from these sudden and emotional revolutions of public opinion. Some survive and are in time restored to popular favor, but men so far advanced in years as Sir Wilfred Laurier and Joseph Cannon cannot hope to regain their power and influence even though their popularity should revive. Posterity will do justice to their motives and deeds, but their final rewards will be mortuary. The present plows with its own cattle, not those of the past or the future. Every page of history bears mournful testimony to the failure of popular favorites to hold their influence at crucial moments, to the fickleness of public opinion and to the proneness of the masses to sacrifice their leaders without reason.

A Michigan bishop has advised all clergymen to become baseball fans. This is rather dangerous advice. No clergyman whose favorite team is at the bottom of the league could feel at peace with the world if he happened to be a real baseball fan.

With no desire to discourage genius, it may be said that the eastern inventor who proposes to ascend 5000 feet and anchor there while the globe slips along under him is not practical. There is nothing at the altitude mentioned to which to anchor.

So far none of the aviators attempting to fly across the continent are seriously threatening Weston's record for the transcontinental trip. Mr. Weston, it will be recalled, walked across.

A Stanford professor of dramatics plans to make his pupils lay one of his own plays. This seems to be taking a mean advantage. The pupils have no defense.

Los Angeles plans to turn a municipal searchlight on all night joy-riders. Certainly such a light would bring about revelations, but none fit for publication.

A Connecticut laborer found a \$100 pearl in a tooth which he had extracted. He is probably the first man who ever rejoiced over having a toothache.

The London Times is protesting against a match between a negro prizefighter and an English soldier. The London Times has probably formed an opinion on the result of the contest.

The "wets" won out in Maine by a majority of only twenty votes. This must be taken as an indication that Maine was not particularly thirsty, in spite of the long drought.

There is more figurative ways to provide \$ to carry on our county government than raising valuation on taxable property. Think it over!

The San Francisco papers proved everything about Mayor McCarthy with the exception that he was the man that struck Billy Patterson.

The Stock Market

San Francisco closing quotations furnished by
Harry E. Epstine, Broker

TONOPAH.		NEW YORK CURB.			
Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.		
Tonopah Nevada.....	\$6.00	\$6.25	Tonopah Mining.....	\$6.06	\$6.18
Montana.....	.77	.80	Montana.....	.74	.77
Tonopah Ex.....	1.02 1/2	1.05	Rescue-Eula.....	.24	.26
MacNamara.....	.19	.20	Tonopah Ex.....	.00	1.06
Midway.....	.26	.28	Midway.....	.26	.28
Belmont.....	6.80	6.85	Belmont.....	6.75	6.87 1/2
North Star.....	.19	.21	Jim Butler.....	.22	.24
West End.....	.57	.59	Goldfield Con.....	5.62 1/2	5.87 1/2
Rescue-Eula.....	.24	.25	Mizpah Ex.....	.56	.60
Jim Butler.....	.23	.25	West End.....	.58	.59
Mizpah Ex.....	.63	.65	North Star.....	.19	.21

GOLDFIELD.		SALES.		
Bid.	Asked.			
Goldfield Con.....	\$5.65	\$5.67 1/2	Forenoon--	
Booth.....	.08	.09	500 MacNamara.....	.19
Blue Bull.....	.08	.09	1000 Blue Bull (B-60).....	.09
Merger Mines.....	.24	.25	400 Florence.....	1.27 1/2
Atlanta.....	.16	.18	1000 Merger Mines.....	.24
Jumbo Ex.....	.25	.26	Afternoon--	
Florence.....	1.25	1.27 1/2	500 Tonopah Extension.....	1.02 1/2
Spearhead Gold.....	.08	.09	9900 MacNamara.....	.19
Comb. Fraction.....	.08	.09	1000 MacNamara (B-60).....	.20
Kewanas.....	.10	.11	1000 North Star.....	.19
			2000 North Star.....	.20
			3000 Rescue Eula.....	.24
			6000 Rescue Eula.....	.25
			8000 Rescue Eula.....	.26
			8000 Rescue Eula (B-90).....	.27
			2000 Rescue Eula (B-90).....	.28
			100 Rescue Eula.....	.25
			1000 Rescue Eula.....	.24
			100 Goldfield Con.....	5.65
			200 Booth.....	.08
			100 Florence.....	1.27 1/2
			500 Silver Peak.....	.90
			100 Nevada Hills.....	3.05
			100 Nevada Hills.....	3.02 1/2
			1000 Man. Dexter.....	.05

COMSTOCK.		MISCELLANEOUS.			
Bid.	Asked.	Bid.	Asked.		
Ophir.....	\$1.67 1/2	\$1.70	Pitts. Silver Peak.....	.89	.91
Mexican.....	3.25	3.30	Nevada Hills.....	3.00	3.05
Sierra Nevada.....	.33	.34	Manhattan Con.....	.08	.10
Union Con.....	1.95	1.07 1/2	Man. Dexter.....	.04	.05
			Man. Mustang.....	.02	.03
			Man. Big Four.....	.20	.22

PERSONALS

Comings and Goings of Our Local
People and Others

Jacob Gording is here from Reno. Charley Wonacott, the undertaker, is here from Bishop.

George Blakeslee arrived from Los Angeles yesterday afternoon. He will spend a few days here.

Mrs. William Hunter and son departed for Reno this morning on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Booth.

E. A. McNaughton, of the Hall-fax mine, after an absence of several days in Los Angeles, returned to Tonopah this morning.

B. A. and H. M. Rives of the Silver Peak Pittsburg Mining company of Blair are in town today in the hands of their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James English and child who have been visiting relatives in Reno for the past ten days returned home this morning.

Attorney S. E. Vermilyea of Los Angeles came over from Goldfield by auto yesterday afternoon and will return in a couple of days.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

The board of equalization is hearing complaints of property owners in Tonopah. There are many complaints as to equalization of assessment and the complaints are just in many cases. Why one should pay double on property of the same nature is not a square deal.

CATHOLIC CONCLAVE.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 26.—Perhaps the most important convocation for a decade in American Catholicism will convene here Thursday morning when the National Eucharistic congress meets for a four days' session. Fully one-third of the hierarchy of the United States will be here to discuss the propagation of Catholic doctrine in this country.

NEW ADVERTISEMENT

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the District of Nevada.

In bankruptcy, No. 159.
In the matter of Chas. E. Perry, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Charles E. Perry of Tonopah, in the county of Nye, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of July, A. D. 1911, the said Charles E. Perry was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held in the court room of the state district court, in the county court house at Tonopah, in said district on the 11th day of October, A. D. 1911, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

J. POULADE,
U. S. Referee in Bankruptcy,
Carson City, Nev., Sept. 25, 1911.
J. A. SANDERS,
Tonopah, Nevada,
Attorney for Bankrupt.

spent in Kansas. Then will follow a two days' swing through insurgent territory.

MEXICANS PROTEST.

MEXICO, Sept. 26.—A public meeting was held here last night to protest against the sentence of hanging imposed on Leon Martinez, the young Mexican convicted of the murder of Miss Emma Woods at Pecos, Texas, last month, who was to have been hanged September 1, but who was reprieved thirty days by the governor of Texas. Much indignation was expressed and about \$100 was raised for the further defense of Martinez.

WAR CLOUD IS FADING.

PARIS, France, Sept. 26.—While the Franco-German agreement on the Moroccan situation can not be regarded definitely as an accomplished fact until it is known how Herr von Kiderlen-Waechter, the German minister of foreign affairs, receives the newly revised French text, no doubt is entertained that the first part of the negotiations will be ended quickly by a complete understanding.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

Advertisements in this Column are 10 cents per line, each insertion. Five words to the line.

WANTED—Woman cook; also a dishwasher. Leave address at Bonanza office; out of town position. 9-22-11

FOR SALE—Three furnished houses and lots; close in; equipped with water, gas and electric lights; all rented for \$12, \$15 and \$18. Price \$650. Call premises, No. 11 South street, opposite Nevada theater. 9-20-11

WANTED—Girl to help in kitchen. Apply Mrs. Nicol, 15 Krougher avenue. 21

FOR SALE—Old papers to put under carpets; per hundred, 25c; this office.

FOUND—Large bunch of keys. The owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for ad.

COOL WATER IN THE HOT SUN

APPELL'S South African WATER BAG

Keeps water cool 48 hours or longer, in sun or shade; great boon to prospectors, surveyors, sportsmen, fishermen, farmers, teamsters, anyone exposed to dry or warm weather. Used by U. S. Gov't. Strong, light, easy to carry. Guaranteed.

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Gentlemen: Elkhart, Indiana.
While in Nevada recently I had occasion to drink out of one of your South African Water Bags. Water from the bag certainly tasted good on the desert. We used one of your 2 1/2 gallon bags and the water remained cool all day, even though the temperature was over 100 in the shade, and in the morning I found the water sparkling and as cold as ice water. It certainly is a boon to those living in the arid regions.

Yours Sincerely, W. E. WIDER
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